

The Blazed Trail

By STEWART EDWARD WHITE

Copyright, 1902, by Stewart Edward White

CHAPTER XXX.

WALLACE CARPENTER'S search expedition had proved a failure, as Thorpe had foreseen, but at the end of the week, when the water began to recede, they came upon a mass of flesh and bones. The man was unrecognizable. The remains were wrapped in canvas and sent for internment to the cemetery at Marquette. Three of the others were never found. The last did not come to light until after the drive had quite finished.

Down at the booms the jam crew received the drive as fast as it came down. From one crib to another across the broad extent of the river's mouth heavy booms were chained end to end effectually to close the exit to Lake Superior. Against these the logs came down. The logs were carried down the river by the current and stopped. The cribs were very heavy, with slanting instead of square tops, in order that the pressure might be downward instead of sideways. In a short time the surface of the lagoon was covered by a brown carpet of logs running in strange patterns like windrows of fallen grain. The drive was all but over.

Up till now the weather had been clear, but oppressively hot for this time of year. The heat had come suddenly and maintained itself well. The men had worked for the most part in undershirts. They were as much in the water as out of it, for the icy bath had become almost grateful. Hamilton, the journalist, who had attached himself definitely to the drive, distributed bunches of papers, in which the men read that the unseasonable conditions prevailed all over the country.

At length, however, it gave signs of breaking. The sky, which had been of a steel blue, harbored great piled thunder heads. Toward evening the thunder heads shifted and finally dissipated, to be sure, but the portent was there.

Hamilton's papers began to tell of washouts and cloudbursts in the south and west. The men wished they had some of that water here.

So finally the drive approached its end and all concerned began in anticipation to taste the weariness that awaited them. The few remaining tasks still confronting them all at once seemed more formidable than what they had accomplished. The work for the first time became dogged, distasteful. Even Thorpe was infected. He, too, wanted more than anything else to drop on the bed in Mrs. Hathaway's boarding house. There remained but a few things to do. A mile of sacking would carry the drive beyond the influence of fresh water. After that there would be no hurry.

He looked round at the hard, fatigue worn faces of the men about him, and he suddenly felt a great rush of affection for these comrades who had so unreservedly spent themselves for his affair. Their features showed exhaustion, it is true, but their eyes gleamed still with the steady, half humorous purpose of the pioneer. When they caught his glance they grinned good humoredly.

All at once Thorpe turned and started for the bank.

"That'll do, boys," he said quietly to the nearest group. "She's down."

It was noon. The sacking looked up in surprise. Behind them, to their very feet, rushed the soft smooth slope of Hemlock rapids. Below them flowed a broad, peaceful river. The drive had passed its last obstruction. To all intents and purposes it was over.

Calmly, with matter of fact directness, as though they had not achieved the impossible, they shouldered their peavers and struck into the broad wagon road. In the middle distance loomed the tall stacks of the mill, with the little board town about it. Across the eye spun the thread of the railroad. Far away gleamed the broad expanses of Lake Superior.

The men paired off naturally and fell into a dragging, dogged walk. Thorpe found himself unexpectedly with Big Junko. For a time they plodded on without conversation. Then the big man ventured a remark.

"I'm glad she's over," said he. "I got a good stake comin'."

"Yes," replied Thorpe indifferently.

DR. FENNER'S KIDNEY and Backache CURE

All diseases of Kidneys, Bladder, Urinary Organs, Rheumatism, Backache, Heart Disease, Gravel, Dropsy, Female Troubles.

Don't become discouraged. There is a cure for you. If necessary write Dr. Fenner. He has spent a life time curing just such cases as yours. All consultations free.

Dr. Fenner's Kidney and Backache Cure is the cause of my being alive to-day. I had suffered greatly of kidney disease for years and reduced in weight to 120 pounds. I now weigh 185 pounds.

W. H. McCUGIN, Olive Furnace, O.
Druggists, 50c. Bk. Ask for Cook Book—Free
ST. VITUS DANCE Fenner, Fredonia, N.Y.

COX'S PHARMACY.

PUT OUT OF COMMISSION

Japan Has Already Disabled Five Russian War Ships.

A NOTABLE VICTORY

First Engagement of the War Occurred at Port Arthur.

Under Cover of Darkness the Vigilant Japs Catch Their Less Alert Enemy Napping.

Torpedo Attack Puts Two Battleships and a First-Class Cruiser Out of Commission.

This Was Followed by an Equally Decisive Engagement in Chemulpo Harbor.



"You've changed, Junko," said he.

"That's all right," said he, "but you better life I don't blow this stake."

"I've heard that talk before," shrugged Thorpe.

"Yes, but this is different. I'm going to get married on this. How's that?"

Thorpe, his attention struck at last, stared at his companion.

"Who is she?" he asked abruptly.

"She used to wash at Camp Four."

Thorpe dimly remembered the woman as now an overweighted creature with a certain attraction of effishly blowing hair, with a certain pleasing, full cheeked, full bosomed health.

The two walked on in re-established silence. Finally the giant, unable to contain himself longer, broke out again.

"I do like that woman," said he with a quietly deliberate seriousness.

"That's the finest woman in this district."

Thorpe felt the quick moisture rush to his eyes. There was something inexpressibly touching in those simple words as Big Junko uttered them.

"And when you are married," he asked, "what are you going to do? Are you going to stay on the river?"

"No, I'm going to clear a farm. The woman says that's the thing to do. I like the river too. But you bet when Carrie says a thing that's plenty good enough for Big Junko."

Thorpe looked at his companion fixedly. He remembered Big Junko as a wild beast when his passions were aroused, as a man whose honesty had been doubted.

"You've changed, Junko," said he.

"I know," said the big man. "I been a scallawag all right. I quit it. I don't know much, but Carrie she's smart, and I'm going to do what she says. When you get stuck on a good woman like Carrie, Mr. Thorpe, you don't give much for anything else. Sure. That's right. It's the biggest thing top of earth."

Here it was again—the opposing creed. And from such a source! Thorpe's iron will contracted again.

"A woman is no excuse for a man's neglecting his work," he snapped.

"Shorely not," agreed Junko serenely. "I aim to finish out my time all right. Mr. Thorpe. Don't you worry none about that. I done my best for you. And, went on the river man in the expansion of this unwanted confidence with his employer, 'I'd like to rise to remark that you're the best boss I ever had, and that you're to stay with her till there's skating in hades.'"

"All right," murmured Thorpe indifferently. Suddenly the remaining half mile to town seemed very long indeed.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Art Treasures.

"I understand you have a number of art treasures," answered Mr. Cumrox.

"Any number of 'em," answered Mr. Cumrox.

"By the way, how would you define an art treasure?"

"An art treasure, as nearly as I can figure it out, is something that is considered all the more valuable for being secondhand goods."—Washington Star.

A More Important Matter.

"Why," said the punctilious person.

"I got a letter from the person you have been praising, and there was actually a capital in the wrong place!"

"May be so," answered Mr. Cumrox.

"But he never gets his capital in the wrong place in the market. And that's more important."—Washington Star.

It is not what a man earns, not the amount of his income, but the relation of his expenditures to his receipts that determines his poverty or wealth.—Anon.

HOW IT WAS DONE

Details of Japan's Initial Victory Over Russia.

Che Foo, Feb. 10.—The steamer Columbia has arrived from Port Arthur with additional news of the attack of the Japanese fleet upon the Russian fleet in the roads outside of the harbor of Port Arthur. The Columbia was in the roads at the time and felt the first shock of a torpedo explosion at 11 o'clock on Monday night. The attack continued all night and at day-



ADMIRAL GOMBEI YAMAMOTO, JAPAN.
(Head of the navy whose initial victory over Russia was scored at Port Arthur.)

light two Russian battleships and one first class Russian cruiser were seen to have been disabled and beached at the entrance of the harbor. The cruiser was badly listed to one side.

At daybreak the Russian fleet opened fire on the Japanese fleet, which was about three miles distant. The Japanese vessels returned the fire, hitting several of the Russian ships, but doing little damage. The Russian cruisers then went out, and the Japanese vessels disappeared. They were seen later going in the direction of Dalny, apparently undamaged. Although the officers of the Columbia say that there were seventeen in the attacking party only sixteen were seen later in the day near Foo Chow. They were bound for Vladivostok.

The Japanese fleet was under the command of Vice Admiral Togo and consisted of four fast cruisers which circled outside, drawing the fire of the Russians. They then joined the main fleet and all went in to attack the armored cruisers. In the Japanese fleet which consisted of two divisions were the Mikasa, the flagship, the first class battleship Asahi, Fuji, Inashima, Shikashi Ma, Hatsus and the despatch boat Tatsuma. The second division of the fleet under command of Admiral Kamimura on the flagship Idsumo, consisted of the armored cruisers Yakuma, Asama and Iwatz. When seen by the steamer Foo Chow Tuesday morning, the fast cruisers were circling in a radius of six miles. No torpedo boats were seen and it is probable that they left the vicinity after the torpedo attack of Monday night. The Russian fleet outside of the harbor consisted of the battleships Petropawlawsk, flagship; Poroswet, sub-flagship; Pobieda, Poltava, Czarewitsch, Retizian and Sebastopol, and the cruisers Novik, Boyarin, Bayar, Diann, Palada, Asold and Angara.

The disabled battleships are inside forts Huan Ching Shan and Chi Kwan Shan. The cruiser is outside, but within range of the forts.

The Russians left one cruiser outside to watch for the Japanese ships. The cruiser was fired upon by the Japanese and the other Russian vessels took up their anchors and cruised around the roadstead. The Japanese fleet came up within three miles and a battle commenced. The Japanese fired on the ships and forts which replied. Two Russian ships were struck by shells, but were only slightly damaged. The Russian fire fell short. The Columbia steamed away while the battle was in progress, but later saw the Japanese fleet leave. One Japanese cruiser with torpedo boats is reported north of Che Foo.

The two battleships disabled are the Poltava and the Czarewitsch. The disabled armored cruiser Boyarin and the grounded battleships block the entrance to the harbor, preventing the gunboats from going out and battleships and cruisers from going in, and getting coal. Besides this, Japan has the Russian gunboats Variag and Korietz caught at Chemulpo.

A CRUSHING BLOW

Russians Caught Napping at Port Arthur.

Chee Foo, Feb. 10.—The Japanese have dealt the Russians a crushing blow at Port Arthur. An advance squadron of the Japanese fleet, under command of Vice Admiral Togo, and comprising sixteen battleships and cruisers, with a numerous torpedo flotilla, left the main fleet of Shan Tung peninsula on Sunday, immediately the news of the diplomatic rupture became known. This information was conveyed to the Japanese admiral by a destroyer dispatched from Tsushima Saturday evening.

The Japanese scouting cruisers had given accurate information of the precarious situation of the Russian fleet outside Port Arthur. The squadron steamed slowly in battle formation toward its goal, and came within sight of Port Arthur under cover of darkness. It cruised slowly outside without showing lights. The Russians were lying in the roadstead, apparently feeling secure from attack. Nearly all the Jap torpedo boats were dispatched on their dangerous and daring task. They rushed full steam on the enemy, who were completely surprised. A great rattle of small arms greeted the invaders, who, however, escaped unhurt, and the Retizian, the Czarewitsch and the Pallada were almost immediately torpedoed. The Japanese dashed along the entire line of the Russians, exposed by now to a terrible fire from machine guns and small arms from both the ships and the shore. There was the utmost consternation among the Russians, which probably accounts for the Japanese torpedo boats escaping practically unscathed and rejoicing the admiral outside. The admiral's fleet during the attack kept out of range of the Russian searchlights.

Line of battle was then formed and the Japanese fleet moved in within a range of two and one-half miles and opened fire on the Russians. The booming of guns was heard far out to sea by the officers and crew of a Japanese ship which has arrived here. The battle is understood to be still raging, and the wildest reports are current. The Chinese population of Chee Foo is in a frenzy of excitement at the reports that the Japanese, whom they now regard as their friends, scored the first victory.

TERSE TELEGRAMS

Russia has 8,956,000 square miles of territory. The Japanese residents are leaving Port Arthur.

Four battalions of Japanese infantry have landed in Korea, near Seoul.

Bidders for the proposed Cuban loan of \$55,000,000 have submitted proposals.

The trial of Senator Joseph R. Burton, of Kansas, has been set for March 21.

Two trainmen were killed in a wreck on the Alabama Great Southern railroad near York, Ala.

On a peace footing the Japanese army has 175,000 officers and men and on a war footing 675,000.

On a peace footing the Russian army numbers 1,000,000 officers and men and on a war footing 4,500,000.

The area of the Japanese empire is 147,000 square miles. The last census gives the population as 44,000,000.

Lying side by side in bed, David Hinehell and his wife were found at Chicago, killed to death. The fire was caused by the explosion of a lamp.

All classes of citizens of Baltimore are arising to the emergency created by the great fire, and have determined that upon the ruins of the commercial district will arise a "greater Baltimore."

An effort to land marionettes of war for Gen. Jimenez at Monte Christi drew the fire of the revolutionists, and the Clyde line steamer New York was compelled to withdraw from the harbor badly hit.

BALTIMORE ALERT

Stricken City Decides to Find Profit Out of Calamity.

A HOPEFUL OUTLOOK

From the Ruins of Mercantile Palaces Will Arise a "Greater Baltimore."

Decisive Action Instituted by the City's Leading Men of Affairs.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 10.—Amid ruins still hot and smoking, Baltimore begun its resurrection. The apathy of Monday has given way to energy and from the governor of the state to the least private citizen the people of this distressed city have aroused themselves to meet the appalling condition that confronts them.

The governor, the mayor and various municipal officials, met and threshed out the problems that are theirs by virtue of public office. From this conference came a decision that Baltimore for the present needs no outside help, but will endeavor with her own resources and those of the state to meet the emergency. At this conference also was developed the machinery for an advisory executive committee to act in conjunction with the legislature.

The military officials had unusual problems to decide and solved them in a military manner, for every pass that had been issued giving entrance to the fire lines was revoked. No civilian may pass the cordon of citizen soldiers which stretches around the fire-swept desert wherein safes and vaults contain untold treasure.

With equal promptness the chamber of commerce held a general meeting and issued a formal announcement that reflected the prevailing hopefulness, declaring "there are already such evidences of recuperation that all are encouraged in the hope of the early restoration of every branch of trade."

The stock exchange members met and decided to rebuild as soon as possible. The same story can be told of practically every commercial body, while on every hand is evidence of private effort toward rehabilitation. Old buildings, long unused, private residences near the business section, in fact every available structure, bears crudely lettered signs on board or cloth, announcing that within this temporary office is a firm. Names on some of these signs are those that rank high in the financial and commercial circles of the world, and in those temporary offices men who for years have known only mahogany desks work on deal tables and plain boards. Labor is in demand and the newspapers display advertisements for men to begin the work of clearing the ruins.

All things considered, the public stock-taking that has engrossed the business world of Baltimore is satisfactory. But this does not mean that the great fire was a lesser calamity than has been pictured in these dispatches. The bald fact is that 140 acres of business buildings, representing property to the approximate value of \$125,000,000 was destroyed within the journey of a clockhand. History is marked by few calamities so vast and so costly in actual values, but with the passing of the first great shock and prostration, the brighter side is coming uppermost and realization of what Baltimore escaped is dawning. A great cloud was lifted when it was discovered that practically all the vaults and strong-rooms and safes of the financial concerns whose buildings were destroyed were unhurt. A tremendous loss in securities had been anticipated, and when vault after vault yielded up its treasure unharmed the joy of the guardians was boundless.

From one trust company's safes alone papers to the amount of more than \$200,000,000 were recovered. The news cheered the whole city and encouraged immediate and thorough investigation. Merchants and assistants smoke-soiled and begrimed and hollow-eyed from anxiety and loss of sleep, worked like laborers in the smoking ruins to uncover their safes, and in nearly every instance they were rewarded by intact contents.

Many weeks will elapse before all the streets within the fire territory will be open to traffic. Bricks to the depth of four feet, large marble and granite blocks, great girders, bent or broken, and networks of telegraph, telephone and electric light wires cover the streets. On both sides of the thoroughfares in many places are towering walls that will have to come down before any attempt can be made to clear the streets at those points.

At a special meeting of the members of the Baltimore stock exchange all the members expressed themselves as confident that the financial community will soon recover from the effects of the fire and that out of the ruins would arise a "greater Baltimore." A resolution was passed offering the mayor and finance commissioners all the money the city may need.

They Want Further Advice.

Anderson, Ind., Feb. 10.—The Madison County Farmers' Institute declined to vote on the legislative bill proposed by State Geologist Blatchley recommending that convicts be employed in the manufacture of brick for the improvement of public highways. In the discussion it was said that such employment of convicts would be better than contract prison labor, but the Madison county farmers thought that they should know more about the bill before going on record.

Kentuckians Bent on Lynching.

Middlesboro, Ky., Feb. 10.—John White, a negro, who killed Officer Burns, has been captured and lodged in jail here. The streets are full of excited men bent on lynching, but Mayor Turner and Sheriff Howard with a large posse are guarding the jail and the men seem to need a leader so that no violence is expected.

Big Icehouses Burn.

Meamora, Ind., Feb. 10.—The large ice plant, owned by the Cincinnati Ice company, has been destroyed by fire, causing a loss of \$25,000, with small insurance on buildings. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Jury Found Mrs. Post Guilty.

Jacksonville, Fla., Feb. 10.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Helen Wilkins Post, charged with using the mails for fraudulent purposes, brought in a verdict of guilty.

LINCOLN LEAGUE

Big Preparations Made for the Coming Meeting.

Indianapolis, Feb. 10.—Arrangements have been completed for the annual convention of the Lincoln League of Indiana at Evansville Friday and Saturday. Owing to the annual banquet in celebration of the Lincoln birthday, at the Columbia Club here the league banquet will be postponed until Saturday night. Covers will be laid for 600 as a large attendance is expected. J. Frank Hanly, W. L. Taylor and Judge Penfield, the candidates for governor, will be on hand to make speeches and most of the state officials who are candidates for renomination are going. It is expected that Charles W. McGuire, of this city, will be elected president of the league. There is a prospective boom for President Walker of the Marion Club here but he will not be a candidate unless McGuire withdraws. George Heilman, of Evansville, will probably be re-elected secretary. The business session of the convention will be held Saturday.

Some of the Indiana members of congress are having to do the "hot foot" to hold their own in a political way. Congressman Cromer has been in Washington but one day of the session, having been given an indefinite leave of absence. He is now looking after his political fences and will not return to Washington until after the nomination is made. Congressman Fred Landis is having to spend considerable time at home looking after his fences. Congressman Holliday, of the Fifth, also has his troubles, for two candidates have entered the field against him. Congressman Overstreet has not come home yet, but his faithful workers are looking closely after his interests. In the Second, Congressman Miers has no opposition as yet but he is running back and forth between home and Washington to see that nothing goes on that will cause him to lose. Congressman Zenor is now at home making the fight of his life for a renomination with the chances about even for him to win or lose.

John E. Lamb, of Terre Haute, former member of congress from the Fifth district, is again coming to the front as a leader of the Democratic party. In the campaign of '96 and 1900 he was not active as he did not like the Bryanistic platforms although he voted for the ticket. He is noted for the forcible way he has of making public statements. This is what he says about the Democratic platform: "There is no more necessity of our declaring for the free and unlimited coinage of silver than there is to reiterate the plank of '64 that war was a failure. I have said several times, and I am willing to repeat it, that the face of the Democratic party is to the future and that those who are looking backward for issues will either have to get out of the way or be run over." In other words Lamb probably means that neither Bryan nor any other man is to be permitted to block the way of the Democrats towards reorganization along old lines.

It would not be surprising if Indiana should furnish three candidates for vice-president. It seems to be the general opinion now that Senator Fairbanks will be the Republican nominee for second place. There is talk of B. F. Shively of South Bend for second place on the Democratic ticket. The leaders of the party like the looks of the Indiana man and if he would consent he would stand a fine show. Then Felix T. McWhirter, of this city, is an active candidate for the Prohibition nomination for vice-president and as the national convention will be held here and as this is one of the banner Prohibition states he will stand good in way of winning.

A rumor that Warren G. Sayre, of Wabash, who was known as the watch dog of the treasury during the last session of the legislature, is to become a candidate for the Republican nomination for governor now that Hol Shideler, of Marion, is not going to run, has been received with much interest. Sayre has long aspired to be governor and as he is a very prominent man there is no doubt that his entrance into the race at this time would cut some figure, especially as the Eleventh district is now without a candidate.

They Want Further Advice. Anderson, Ind., Feb. 10.—The Madison County Farmers' Institute declined to vote on the legislative bill proposed by State Geologist Blatchley recommending that convicts be employed in the manufacture of brick for the improvement of public highways. In the discussion it was said that such employment of convicts would be better than contract prison labor, but the Madison county farmers thought that they should know more about the bill before going on record.

Kentuckians Bent on Lynching. Middlesboro, Ky., Feb. 10.—John White, a negro, who killed Officer Burns, has been captured and lodged in jail here. The streets are full of excited men bent on lynching, but Mayor Turner and Sheriff Howard with a large posse are guarding the jail and the men seem to need a leader so that no violence is expected.

Big Icehouses Burn.

Meamora, Ind., Feb. 10.—The large ice plant, owned by the Cincinnati Ice company, has been destroyed by fire, causing a loss of \$25,000, with small insurance on buildings. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Jury Found Mrs. Post Guilty.

Jacksonville, Fla., Feb. 10.—The jury in the case of Mrs. Helen Wilkins Post, charged with using the mails for fraudulent purposes, brought in a verdict of guilty.

HOTSTETTER'S

Don't select a medicine if you want to get rid of stomach, liver or kidney troubles. Who people use the Bitters because for 50 years it has never failed in cases of Poor Appetite, Indigestion, Flatulency, Dyspepsia and Constipation. Give it a trial.

MACHEN TESTIFIES

Evidence Given by Chief Figure in Postal Trials.

Washington, Feb. 10.—The central figure in the postal trial, August W. Machen, former superintendent of the rural free delivery division, when placed on the stand said he assumed responsibility for the acts of Miss Liebhart, his chief clerk, who had initiated and signed letters from his division. He rehearsed the oil transaction which has figured so conspicuously in the trial and said that the \$25,000 received from Lorenz in payment of the Machen interest in the oil property was a bonafide sale. The Groff fastener, he said, had been called to the attention of the department before he received his appointment. He denied emphatically that up to the time Mr. Lorenz in August 1895 spoke of having an interest in the device he had any suspicion of the fact and was equally emphatic in saying that neither Mr. Lorenz nor the Groff's ever influenced his action either in placing the first order for the fasteners or in any subsequent orders.

San Domingo Must Be Good.

Washington, Feb. 10.—Drastic measures will be taken by the government to end the anarchy in San Domingo. Continued violation of international law, destruction of American property and disregard of foreign interests has convinced officials that affairs there can be best improved by force. Its handling has been turned over to the navy, and Secretary Moody has sent instructions to Rear Admiral Wise, commanding the training squadron now in Dominican waters, giving him wide latitude in the course he is to follow.

Doings in Congress.

Washington, Feb. 10.—The senate passed the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill without debate and then renewed consideration of the Cuban question. The house devoted the entire session yesterday to consideration of the resolution relative to elections committee No. 1 unseating Mr. Howell (Dem.) and declaring Mr. Connell (Rep.) who contested the election, to have been elected from the Tenth Pennsylvania district. By agreement a vote will be taken the last thing today.

Charged With Malpractice.

Decatur, Ind., Feb. 10.—Luther Collins has been arrested here on a bench warrant issued by Judge Erwin, made returnable forthwith, charging him with being the cause of the death of his sister-in-law, Malissa Smitley, of Jefferson township. George Smitley, brother of the dead girl, filed the affidavit of information, accusing Collins of malpractice. Judge Erwin has placed the bond at \$1,000, which Collins so far has failed to give.

Dynamite in Machinery.

Lacrosse, Wis., Feb. 10.—An explosion in the mill of John Scarbahn, of Lewis valley, partly destroyed the mill and injured two persons. Scarbahn, who was near the machinery, was struck by rock and badly bruised. Florian Yeager was severely injured. The only theory to account for the explosion is that some miscreant placed dynamite in the machinery.

PUNISHMENT.

Social progress has done away with a great many forms of punishment once administered under the laws of enlightened people. But nature never changes or modifies her penalties. She still has the same punishment for the man who neglects or abuses his stomach as she had in the far off days "when Adam delved and Eve span."

The physical discomfort, dullness, sluggishness, irritability, nervousness and sleeplessness which are visited upon the man who eats carelessly or irregularly have been from the beginning the evidence of disease of the stomach and its associated organs of digestion and nutrition.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures the diseased stomach and enables the perfect digestion and assimilation of food, so that the sluggishness, irritability, nervousness and sleeplessness which result from innutrition are cured also.

"I was taken sick nine years ago with fever," writes Mr. M. M. Wardwell, of Linwood, Leavenworth Co., Kansas. "Had the doctor and he broke up the fever all right, but I took diarrhoea right away; he couldn't cure it and it became chronic, and then he gave up the case. I got so weak with it and had piles so badly I couldn't lie down, nor hardly sit up. Was that way two or three months; thought I would never be well again, but picked up one of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery in the house that was got for mother. You recommend it for catarrh of the stomach, so I went to taking it. The one bottle nearly cured me. I got two bottles next time and took one and one-half and was well. I haven't been bothered with diarrhoea since."

Dr. Pierce's Pellets cure biliousness.

TO..... BOOTH TARKINGTON'S OUR READERS Great American Story THE GENTLEMAN FROM INDIANA

Will be published in this paper beginning in a few days. We are not going to say much about it and we will tell you why.

If we describe the story as it is you will say before you have read it that we have greatly exaggerated. After you have read it you will say we failed to do it justice.

It is the story of a fearless editor who incurred the hatred of white caps and was murderously attacked by them, and—but we must not say what came of it, for that would be telling, and would take away from your pleasure in reading it.

It pictures vividly a phase of life which is too common in America.

It ought to be read by every man who loves his country and by every person who loves a lover—for the hero is a passionate lover, whose love making is superb.

We know you will read it if you dip into the first chapters—and our word for it, you will enjoy it as you have seldom enjoyed a story.



POSTOFFICE ROBBED.

Orleans Office Blown Up and Looted.

The residents of Orleans beheld only the remains of their post office when they went for their mail Wednesday morning. During the night expert safe blowers, at least the result showed expertness, broke into the office, blew open the safe and got away with about \$400 in money and stamps. The building was almost blown to pieces, so heavy was the explosion.

The robbers got away just as they usually do in such cases though every effort will be made to catch them.

Postmaster Fred Kimbley telegraphed Marshal Prewitz today to watch out for suspicious strangers.

LEESVILLE

Sarah Plummer visited her father, Rev. M. Hughes here Tuesday.

James Loudermilk, of near Medora, visited friends here Tuesday.

Quite a number of our citizens attended the sale of Emmitt Umphres Tuesday.

David Hughes, of Medora, was a business caller here last week.

Kate and Rose Nelson, of Oklahoma, visited their brother and family at Brownstown, east of Leesville, from Tuesday until Friday.

Bertha Hill visited her parents here last week.

Born to Ralph Whitted and wife Tuesday, Feb. 2, a daughter.

Quite a number of our citizens attended the burial of Rev. David Brown at the Brown cemetery Sunday afternoon.

Married at Bedford Saturday Feb. 3, Clarence Hutchinson and Orpha Gillen, Squire Christler officiating.

Minnie Sluder Whitted, wife of Ralph Whitted, died Feb. 2, of heart failure at her home near Leesville, aged 39 years. She leaves a husband and little daughter to mourn for her. Burial at Erie cemetery Wednesday at 1 o'clock.

STOUTS MILL.

There will be church at Brown's Corner Sunday night.

S. T. Barret and family visited John Little and family on Mutton Creek Sunday.

Frank Holland and Miss Lula Campbell visited Bud Cook and wife of Azalia Sunday.

Thomas Reid, jr., is some better.

Misses Alice and Lida Miller, of North Vernon, visited Sam Hulise and family over Sunday.

W. F. Foist intends to move to North Vernon soon.

Gr. Barriger was at North Vernon Monday.

Mrs. Edgar Holland and daughter, Emma, visited relatives at Scipio Monday.

John Crippen and Stella Barriger was through here calling on friends Thursday.

Herman Swengle and Kate Fleming visited Levi Swengle and family near Seymour Sunday.

Dill Wilber and wife and J. Britten of Sand Creek, visited Miram Little and family Sunday.

Thomas Reid is visiting relatives at Madison this week.

Wallace Holland has bought T. G. Hammond's farm.

Abe B. Oakes gave the young folks a social last night.

Scott Poor and wife and Misses Kate and Susan Easter visited Ollie Poore and wife at Scipio Wednesday.

Charles Go-sett and family visited Edgar Perry and family near Hayden over Sunday.

FOIST—An infant daughter of Will Foist and wife died Saturday. Burial at Reddington Sunday.

SWENGLE—Died Sunday in Clark County at the home of her son, Mrs. Sarah Swengle, aged 87 years. Burial Wednesday at 2 o'clock at Reddington conducted by Rev. Thomas Jones, of Seymour.

DEER LICK.

The sick are all better.

School begun Monday after a week's vacation.

Rev. Severinghaus preached Sunday afternoon.

Mary Blekman, of Seymour, spent Sunday at her home.

Morton Hall, of Azalia, was a business caller here Friday.

An electric storm passed through our neighborhood Saturday night. No damage was done.

Several from here attended church at Reddington Sunday night.

The saw mill is in order again.

Mr. Allen, of Azalia, was here on business Monday.

Mrs. Welliver, of Reddington, visited friends here Friday.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

CORTLAND.

The river has been out of its banks for a day or two filling the low bayous and ditches but no danger is anticipated.

George A. Robertson, of Seymour, was transacting business here Tuesday.

Willard Frank, son of Emmett Frank, is sick of measles and pneumonia fever.

Mildred Josephine Brocker, daughter of W. I. Brocker and wife died of measles and bronchial pneumonia Monday Feb. 8 at 2 p. m. She was born July 21, 1902. Burial at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. She was exceptionally bright and winsome and her bright smiles made her friends where ever she was known.

Dr. Rains and Rev. Harley Jackson from Seymour were out this way in an automobile Saturday.

Dr. D. H. Richards is moving his office offices and will occupy the room west of Bottorff Bros' store room after the first of March.

RED BRUSH.

G. C. Weddel went to Daviess county last Saturday to work for W. S. Noe this summer.

The protracted meeting at this place closed Sunday night.

Lafe Beyers returned to his home Monday near Heltonville after a week's visit.

Rev. Hawn filled his appointment here Friday night.

Since the snow went away the roads are bad in some places.

Oscar Anderson and wife, of near Surprise, attended church here Friday night.

John Wallingford, of Daviess county, has been visiting his brother, Henry, here.

High water washed away considerable fencing here.

Mrs. Susan Lucas is sick.

Solomon Leslie visited his uncle, C. H. Lucas here last week.

End of Bitter Fight.

"Two physicians had a long and stubborn fight with an abscess on my right lung" writes J. F. Hughes, of DuPont, Ga., "and gave me up. Everybody thought my time had come. As a last resort I tried Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption. The benefit I received was striking and I was on my feet in a few days. Now I've entirely regained my health." It conquers all coughs, colds and throat and lung trouble. Guaranteed by an F. Peter Drug Co. Price 50c, W. \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

Meeting will begin at the U. B. church Sunday night.

BARNES.

Rev. Overman did not fill his appointment at Marion Sunday because he is engaged in a revival at Uniontown.

Trustee Lett is able to be out after a ten days illness.

Frank P. Deputy has the measles.

Bertha Davis spent Saturday and Sunday with her uncle, James M. Bridges, of Comiskey.

A. T. Deputy attended the quarterly meeting at Crothersville Saturday.

Hershel Barnes occupied the Mrs. Frank property and will work for J. B. Deputy.

John Ducer is suffering from an attack of the grip.

SHIELDS.

Andrew Robertson and son went to the mule sale Saturday at Browns-town.

Mr. Bottorff went to Cortland Friday.

There was a dance in this neighborhood Friday evening. Everything went well except there were not enough girls.

Mrs. Oscar McKain went to visit her parents at Vallonia.

Miss Mary Dahlenburg, who has been visiting her parents and friends returned to Seymour Monday evening.

The river is out of the banks and Mr. Barnes had to move out upon the hills.

Look out for a wedding in this neighborhood soon.

Henry Persinger bought forty acres of bottom land from Mr. Crabb.

Mr. Robertson bought Mr. Persinger's homestead.

Mrs. Charles Dahlenburg spent several days at Seymour.

The report is that Mr. Denten will move back from Westport.

They have a new boss at the State mill.

John Pilman, jr., moved in Philip Rhinehardt's property and Oscar McKain in the house Pilman vacated.

C. C. Boyatt visited his family here over Sunday.

Mrs. Ora Kepler, of Olney, Ill., arrived here Sunday to visit his mother for a few days.

Miss Fern Brown returned to Madison Monday morning to resume her studies in the Madison business college, after a few days visit with her parents here.

Mr. Watts, a Seymour telephone man, was a business visitor here Monday.

MURPHY—Bruce Murphy died at the home of his sisters, Mrs. George Robertson, in West Brownstown, Sunday evening of consumption. Burial to be held Wednesday morning.

Miss Nettie Cox returned from Seymour Monday morning after a few days visit with relatives at Seymour.

Wm. Woodmansee, of Indianapolis, came down Monday night to attend the funeral Bruce Murphy.

Charles Robertson returned from Indianapolis Tuesday morning to make Brownstown his future residence.

The Woman's Relief Corps will give a Valentine social and bean supper in their hall Saturday night. A grand time is expected.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

FOIST—The death angel visited the home of Harrison Foist and wife Wednesday, Jan. 3, 1904, and took away their sweet little daughter Opal, aged 2 years. The funeral was held Friday morning conducted by Rev. Severinghaus after which the remains were laid to rest in the Reddington cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

SURE INDICATIONS OF BAD BLOOD

OLD SORES, ULCERS, ABSOESSES

The best evidence of a bad condition of the blood and unhealthy state of the system, is an old festering sore, running ulcer, or abscess. They show the bodily impurities are not passing out through the proper channels, but are left in the system to clog and poison the blood. So thoroughly do the poison permeate the system that every little scratch, cut or bruise inflames and festers. Everything about an old sore or ulcer suggests disease. They affect the general health, they require constant attention, and are a source of anxiety and trouble all the time, and in some cases highly offensive. There is danger, too, of these places becoming cancerous if not treated promptly and in the right way. Washes, salves and ointments are good for external use, but they can't stop the discharge or change the condition of the blood, and for this reason the sore never heals permanently.

Not until the blood is purged of impurities and the system cleansed of all harmful substances should the ulcer heal, or the effect upon the system might prove disastrous. S. S. S. goes into the circulation and searches out and removes the cause of the old sore and invigorates and builds up the polluted, sluggish blood again, and as the poisonous matter is driven from the system the sore begins to heal, new flesh forms and the place is soon covered over with fresh skin and the sore is gone for all time. Where the constitution is debilitated from the effects of chronic sores, ulcers, abscesses, carbuncles or other severe skin eruptions, S. S. S. will build it up again and stimulate and strengthen all parts of the system. S. S. S. contains no strong minerals, but is guaranteed entirely vegetable. It is unequalled as a Blood Purifier and invigorating tonic. Do not depend upon local remedies alone. Get your blood right, and as it forces out the poison the sore must heal, because nothing is left in the system for it to feed upon. Write us should you desire medical advice, which is given without charge.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

SSS

the poison the sore must heal, because nothing is left in the system for it to feed upon. Write us should you desire medical advice, which is given without charge.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

MISS MAY MARKELL,

A Society Belle of London, Canada.

MISS MAY MARKELL, of London, Ontario, Canada, is a beautiful girl who knows what suffering is and Wine of Cardui has brought her back to health. She is one of the social favorites of her home and her recovery to health has permitted her to enjoy the company of her many friends instead of lying on a bed of sickness and suffering. For the health she now enjoys she gives credit to Wine of Cardui. She writes:

"I have found Wine of Cardui an excellent remedy for female trouble. I suffered for three years with terrible bearing-down pains at the menstrual period. I could hardly stand on my feet and was never real well. Wine of Cardui was the only medicine that I could depend on to do me any good, as I tried several with no success. Wine of Cardui cured me and I have now enjoyed perfect health for two years, and give you all the credit for I know you deserve it."

For a young girl Wine of Cardui is the best remedy to guide her through womanhood by starting the menstrual

flow in a healthy and natural manner. Menstruation started right is very easy to keep regular through the years of mature womanhood. Then the "change of life" need not be feared. The Wine of Cardui is woman's best relief from youth to old age. A million women have secured blessed relief from their sufferings by taking this treatment. It relieves menstrual troubles in an incredibly short time. In a simple case of deranged menses Wine of Cardui never fails. To relieve disordered menses is to remove the cause of other female troubles. Any physician will tell you that to remove the cause of a disease renders the cure easy, in fact seldom fails to complete the cure. If you would have the same relief which Miss Markell secured try Wine of Cardui. You can take it without an examination and without any publicity whatever. You can take it in the privacy of your home and secure just as much benefit as if a doctor had prescribed it for you. Thousands of women are feeling the vigor of returning health by taking Wine of Cardui.

WINE of CARDUI

A million suffering women have found relief in Wine of Cardui.

THE AMERICAN MONTHLY REVIEW OF REVIEWS

THE NECESSARY MAGAZINE IN THE PRESIDENTIAL YEAR.

The Review of Reviews is often called a necessity, in recognition of its usefulness in keeping readers "up with the times."

In Presidential election years the REVIEW OF REVIEWS is more than ever "the necessary magazine." Everybody wants to be truly and quickly informed about this or that public question that has forged to the front; to know about the new candidates and personal factors in politics, to have a complete picture at hand of the current movement of history.

In Dr. Shaw's editorials, in its authentic and timely contributions, in its brilliant character sketches, in its condensations and reviews of all the important articles of other magazines, and in its hundred a month of valuable portraits, witty cartoons, and interesting views, the REVIEW OF REVIEWS gives the much desired news of the world's and our own progress. "The World under a Glass-plate" is the way one subscriber describes it. None in public life, like President Theodore Roosevelt, the members of Congress, and the great captains of industry, who must keep "up with the times," intelligent men and women all over America, have decided it is "indispensable."

25c. a copy, \$2.50 a year

THE REVIEW OF REVIEWS CO.

13 Astor Place, New York

THE CLEANSING AND HEALING CURE FOR CATARRH

ELY'S CREAM BALM

Easy and pleasant to use. Contains no injurious drugs. It quickly absorbs. It opens and cleanses the nasal passages. Allays inflammation. Heals and protects the membrane. Restores the senses of taste and smell. Full size, 50 cents at drug stores. Trial size 10 cents by mail.

ELY BROTHERS 16 Warren St New York

HAY FEVER

ELY BROTHERS 16 Warren St New York

ELY BROTHERS 16 Warren St New York

ELY BROTHERS 16 Warren St New York

ELY BROTHERS 16 Warren St New York

ELY BROTHERS 16 Warren St New York

ELY BROTHERS 16 Warren St New York

ELY BROTHERS 16 Warren St New York

ELY BROTHERS 16 Warren St New York

ELY BROTHERS 16 Warren St New York

ELY BROTHERS 16 Warren St New York

ELY BROTHERS 16 Warren St New York

THE REPUBLICAN

W. C. SMITH, Editor and Publisher.

W. A. REED, Editor.

Entered at the Seymour, Indiana Postoffice

KENS HOSIERY

SPECIAL VALUES

IN

HOSIERY

Good quality regular made silk or Tan	25c
Three pairs for.....	25c
Fine Gage Egyptian Cotton, Black and Tan	25c
Two pair for.....	25c
Heavy Thread Fine Gage, Black and Tan	25c
Two pair for.....	25c
Iron Clad Stockings for boys.	25c
Best on Earth	25c

OFFICE OF

United Drug Co.

REXALL.

43 to 53 Leon St., Boston, Mass.

JANUARY 16, 1904.

THE W. F. PETER DRUG CO.,

Seymour, Ind.

DEAR SIR:

Tell your customers that one teaspoonful of Rexall Cherry Juice will stop a cough and one 25c bottle will cure any cough, or they can have their money back. Yours ever truly,

UNITED DRUG CO.

LOUIS K. LIGITT, Gen. Mgr.

Copy of letter received by W. F. Peter Drug Co., from United Drug Co.

Harvard Piano

\$250, \$275, \$300—Cash or Time

Made by The John Church Co.

Barkart Music Store, Agt., Seymour

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

CHICAGO, Ill., February 10, 1904.

Snow flurries tonight and Thursday.

Collier Thursday.

Mass Convention.

The Republicans of the City of Seymour, Indiana, will meet in mass convention at the City Hall, Thursday afternoon February 18th, at 1:30 o'clock for the purpose of electing one precinct committeeman from each voting precinct in the city.

H. E. McDONALD, Chairman.

J. G. SALTMAH, Sec'y.

The Retail Clerks Want

The earnest efforts of everybody to do their trading before 6 o'clock. That is the only city of any size not favoring the clerk in shortening his hours of labor.

f13d

Clairvoyant staying at 122 East Second street will leave this Friday.

Presiding Elder Baxter preached at Rockford last night. There were two accessions to the church.

Will Morrison has sold another of his popular marches to Hamilton S. Gordon, music publishers, of New York.

Misses Rose House and Eva Cartwright, two of the REPUBLICAN's faithful composers, are sick and off duty which made us short of help today.

Tip Glosson, of Reddington, who bought out the J. M. Brown grocery, has rented Mrs. D. H. Brown's house on Indianapolis Ave. and will move his family this week.

Charley Quire, Mary Knott and Ben Dinsey, who are wanted by the grand jury as witnesses could not be found Tuesday when an officer went to summon them. It is said that they are at Columbus and if they are they will be sent for.

Mrs. C. H. Jennings, Boston—"Our babies (twins), we e sickly. Had several doctors, but no results. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea made them strong and robust." 35 cents. Tea or tablet form. W. F. Peter Drug Co.

Dirt for Sale.

500 loads. See G. A. Taskey or Frank Whitsett. f10d

Change in Time of Trains on Pennsylvania Lines.

Under a new schedule in effect Feb. 7, passenger trains over the Pennsylvania lines leave station as follows:

For the north, 8:06 a. m., 9:50 a. m., 3:35 p. m., 4:54 p. m., 9:52 p. m.

For the south, 5:15 a. m., 8:35 a. m., 10:06 a. m., 5:40 p. m., 8:42 p. m.

For particular information on the subject apply to ticket agent, J. W. Wray.

THE TUESDAY CLUB.

Successful Open Meeting Given Tuesday Evening

At the beautiful home of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Shields, on North Chestnut street Tuesday evening, the Tuesday Club gave its third annual open meeting. The club is composed of thirty ladies who interest themselves in some chosen line of literary work, that for the present year being a study of Greek literature. At the open meeting each member invites a guest to attend with her and the occasion is always one of pleasure and profit.

At 8:30 Mrs. O. H. Montgomery, president of the club, introduced the lecturer of the evening, Mrs. May Wright Sewall, of Indianapolis, who delivered an address on "The Open Mind", urging the need of less selfishness and more consideration of others and their views; less attachment to preconceived ideas and prejudices, and more readiness to receive the new truths which are constantly opening before the patient and persistent investigator. Her lecture was well received and enjoyed by the members of the club and their friends.

At the close of the address refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening was spent socially. The Tuesday is to be congratulated on the success of its open meeting.

M. E. Revival.

The evangelistic meetings at the M. E. church are increasing and the attendance is growing from day to day. A splendid sermon was preached last evening by Rev. C. E. Severighaus. The afternoon meetings are growing in interest. Tonight the sermon will be preached by Rev. Harley Jackson. All are invited to attend these services.

Catarh Cannot be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarh. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, price 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Christian Church.

Will serve lunch a ten cent lunch Friday evening from 5 to 10 o'clock at the home of Mr. H. R. Kye. Public invited. df11

FOUR CORNERS.

Father Ulrich, of St. Ann, visited Father Loibel here last week.

George Murray, who left here about a month ago, has returned to Seymour and is quite ill.

Bob Baurle is working for his Uncle Richards at present.

A Mr. Dager, of St. Ann, are here visiting George Baker and family.

Fred Baurle and Miss Alice Downs visited Jake and Anna Kelsch Sunday.

Girls remember this is leap year and Sunday is Valentine day.

G. C. Niebter called on Annie Kelsch Monday afternoon.

Anna Downs will return to Indianapolis in about a week.

Matt and Will Machino are cutting wood for Frank Price in Jackson.

Every time you cough take 5 drops of Brazilian Balm. 50 doses 25 cents.

PERSONAL

Dr. D. L. Prall went to Indianapolis today.

John Lowater was at Brownstown today.

Dixon M. Hays spent today at Columbus.

C. J. Roach was at Indianapolis today on business.

Harry M. Miller went to Commiskey this morning.

Anton Massman, jr., made a trip to Indianapolis today.

J. G. Laupus went to Indianapolis on the early train.

David Colburn, of near Medora, was in town today.

E. G. Weather made a business trip to Cincinnati today.

Commissioner Samuel Carr spent last night in the city.

John Pferrer, of Ewing, went to Indianapolis today.

Dr. A. M. Veasey, of Medora, went to Columbus today.

W. F. Pfaffenberger went to Indianapolis this morning.

Leonard Verberg, of North Vernon, was here last night.

Attorney David Wilson was here from Shelbyville today.

T. J. Standell went to Columbus this morning on business.

Dr. H. C. Murphy was here from Brownstown this morning.

D. K. Molsinger, of Owen township, spent last night in the city.

Mrs. John VandeWalla went to Valonia today to visit relatives.

John Hardin, of Nineveh, the horse-buyer, was in town last night.

John Smith came over from Cortland this morning on business.

John Spears went to Henryville today to look after some timber.

Barney Meltee, of Mitchell, passed through Indianapolis today.

Josh England was here from Kurtz on business Tuesday afternoon.

Tom Groeb and Will Rockstroh went to Indianapolis this morning.

S. G. Rogers returned from a business trip to Cortland this morning.

Misses Ida Champion and Ella Acker went to Indianapolis this morning.

Mrs. J. H. Matlock and Mrs. Knoles Mann went to Indianapolis this forenoon.

Mrs. L. A. Riley, who has been quite sick with throat trouble is improving.

Miss Lula Farrell has returned from a visit with Miss Nellie Mullen at Medora.

August Cordes, H. C. Johnson, G. A. Robertson and P. A. Jones were at Brownstown.

Mrs. George Barkley, who has been at Indianapolis sick for several weeks, is reported much better.

Charles White, of Hamilton township was a business visitor in town yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. J. M. Baxter, who has been quite sick since Monday with tonsillitis, is some better today.

Zora, little daughter of fireman Charley Hamilton and wife is quite sick today with measles.

Mrs. Will Willman was taken very sick yesterday at her home on East Third street with lumbago.

John Lemon, who was called to Jefferson county by the death of his father, returned home today.

L. C. Huffington and other Knights of Pythias, of Medora, went to Indianapolis today to attend the Pythian jubilee.

William Hessler has rented the George Walkup property; corner Fourth and Bill, and is moving into it today.

Rev. Harley Jackson is moving into the property recently vacated by R. P. Carpenter, corner Fourth and Walnut streets.

M. F. Everback has returned from Evansville and will make his home here with his daughter, Mrs. George Atkisson.

Rev. J. W. Huber and Rev. John Claus, of Louisville, came up this morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. A. Graessle.

L. P. Newby, of Knightstown, was here this forenoon between trains on his way to Bedford to inspect the commandery there.

S. A. Barnes, W. T. Branaman, John M. Lewis, C. E. Wood and J. H. Shea were at Brownstown today attending court.

Mrs. Anthony McGinty has returned from North Vernon where she visited her mother who is very poorly. She is eighty-four years of age.

Will Carter is handling express between Indianapolis and Louisville for the regular messenger who is sick. He went south at 10:06 today.

Mrs. May Wright Sewall, of Indianapolis, who addressed the open meeting of the Tuesday Club last evening, was entertained over night by Mrs. Lynn Faulkner. Mrs. Sewall returned home this forenoon.

Jamae A. Montgomery, who is moving from Redding township to near Williams, Lawrence county, has loaded his household goods and farm implements for shipment over the Southern Indiana. He started overland with his wagons and teams today.

His family will follow the latter part of the week. Mr. Montgomery is a first class citizen and a progressive farmer and his many friends throughout the county regret his removal.

CURED OF BRONCHITIS.

Letter from Prominent Milwaukee Man Published by Request of W. F. Peter Drug Co.

To the Editor of the Republican:

For the benefit of all people in Seymour suffering from hard colds, hacking coughs, bronchitis, throat troubles or weak lungs we wish you would publish the following letter:

"Dear Sir:—For two months I suffered with a hard cold and hacking cough, which settled into bronchitis



W. H. O'KEEFE.

and sore lungs. I was nearly worn out, had tried all kinds of medicine when Vinol was recommended. I have never tasted cod liver oil in so delicious a form, and what is better it quickly eased the soreness in my lungs, cured bronchitis and cough and made me well and strong. I enjoyed taking every dose." W. H. O'Keefe, Milwaukee, Wis.

We guarantee that Vinol will cure all such troubles, or will give back the money paid for it. The above letter is published simply to add additional proof.

Physicians everywhere indorse Vinol. A prominent physician writes: "Vinol is the most valuable preparation of cod liver oil known to medicine; it is of untold value to create strength and build up the general system for old people, weak women and children; and it has no equal for hard colds, bronchitis and all lung affections."

We ask the people of Seymour to try Vinol on our gasantee that if it does not help them they can come back and get their money. W. F. Peter Drug Co.



ELDER DAVID M. BROWN, Whose obituary appeared in this paper yesterday.

You need clean healthy bowels just as much as pure, wholesome food; without either, you cannot keep well. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea eliminates all impurities. 35 cents, tea or tablets. W. F. Peter Drug Co.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Seymour and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office:

GENTS.

Chandler Jos Mr.

Koseby James L.

Pery Albert Mr.

WM. P. MASTERS, P.M.

Seymour, Feb. 8, 1904.

JACKSON CIRCUIT COURT.

February Term is Now Under Way

The February term of court has been in session since Monday morning with Judge Buskirk on the bench. The Judge is crippled up with rheumatism and has to use two canes to assist him in getting about, but he is caring for business all right.

The grand jury was sworn in Monday morning and has been at work full time every day since. The petit jury was excused until notified to report for duty. Wm. Ball was excused from grand jury service and Joel Lucas appointed in his stead.

Action on cases since court convened is indicated below:

State vs Thomas J. Moore, surety of peace. Dismissed.

State vs Bruce Fleetwood, violating liquor law. Trial Feb. 10.

State vs Chas Hancock, assault and battery. Trial Feb. 10.

First National Bank vs W. W. Isaacs, as county treasurer, injunction. Finding for plaintiff.

John A. Ritter vs C. I. and L. Railway, damages. Trial March 1.

R. H. Prosser vs B. & O. S. W. damages. Dismissed.

Nancy M. Stewart et al vs J. W. Tanner et al, partition. Continued.

Wm. M. William vs Edward C. Kattman. Trial Feb. 17.

A. H. DeGoyler vs Anna C. Hamilton, contract. Trial Feb. 18.

Timothy S. Lett et al vs Martha J. Wagoner, partition. Objections to final report of commissioners filed.

George W. Rains vs Caroline Spray Dismissed.

John C. Bedel et al vs Ora Gregory et al. Report of partition approved.

Henry Schull et al vs W. C. Gilbert, acct. Judgement of \$91.75 for plaintiff.

Chas. Milhous vs. Henry R. Merrill note, dismissed.

NEW CASES FILED.

Myrtle A. Wray vs Thos T. Wray, divorce.

Alice Crabb vs Allen S. Crabb divorce.

Jos. Hibner vs. Ersu Hibner, divorce.

Jos. Jackson vs Mary Pollock, note.

Geo. C. Rose vs John I. Weeks et al, specific performance.

Henry Beikman vs Harmon Topic, mechanic's lien.

The Marion Trust Company, as receiver for the Vernon Insurance and Trust Company, has brought suits against T. S. Blish, W. F. Peter, T. S. Galbraith, Fred H. Acker, C. H. Cordes, J. H. Hodapp and C. E. McCrady on stock notes subscribed.

Phone at the Fair.

The Fair Store has had a phone placed in the store. Call up 344.

INSTANT RELIEF—Coughs, Croup, Sore Throat—Brazilian Balm, 50 doses 25c.

FOR ALL HANDS

February frosts and March winds are trying months for the hands. To heal and prevent chapped skin on hands or face we especially recommend VIOLET JELLY, an exquisite creamy lotion, for soothing and healing the skin. Price 10c and 25c.

Hudnut's Marvelous Cold Cream famous the world over as a skin food, imparts health and color to the skin. Price 50c.

COX PHARMACY CO.

Find The Latch

with a

SEARCH LIGHT MATCH

Longer Sticks
Stronger Sticks
Light Easily
Burn a Full
Half Minute

A Valuable Coupon in Every Box of Search Light Match

Ask Your Grocer

THE DIAMOND MATCH CO.

YOUR ONLY WORK IS THE CRUST.

NONE SUCH MINCE MEAT

In 10c Packages with List of Valuable Premiums.

WE MEAN BUSINESS,

both in our compliments and in our pursuit of a livelihood. Empty words have no place in our category, and when we say we can supply you with the best quality of lumber and building materials, we mean it from the ground up, and what is more, we can give you rates that will surprise you with their low figures.

The Travis Carter Co

PICTORIAL PUZZLE.

WHAT IS WRONG WITH THE PICTURE?

KEY TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE PICTURES:
Woman wears evening dress in daytime

DON'T HAVE ANY DISPUTE IN

...1904...

The Answer **The Indianapolis News** **World Almanac** Indiana Edition

Is In

THROUGH ALL THE YEAR KEEP IT AT YOUR ELBOW

You'll Want

To know about the Panama Canal.
All the facts for Presidential Election.
To know the Progress of Labor and Capital.
Information regarding Foreign Relations.
Facts about the Governments of the World.
To know the Personnel of Congress.
Election Returns to date.
Sporting Records and Statistics.
Army and Navy Statistics.

GUIDE TO THE ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION

It's pickers who you need.
It's interesting and instructive always.
Twenty-five Cents on news stands.
Thirty-five Cents by mail. (Uncle Sam gets the difference.)

W. A. Garter & Son

Headquarters for
The Genuine
Edison Phonographs
AND RECORDS.

Locksmith and General Repairing

Southern Indiana Time Table

TRAINS LEAVE FOR NORTH.

No. 2 daily..... 7:05 a.m.

No. 4 "..... 11:30 a.m.

No. 6 "..... 5:25 p.m.

TRAINS ARRIVE FROM NORTH.

No. 1 daily..... 9:55 a.m.

No. 3 "..... 3:15 p.m.

No. 5 "..... 9:30 p.m.

No. Local freight train will carry passengers between Seymour and Westport. Leaving at 3:15 p.m.; arriving 7:05 a.m.

One Minute Cough Cure
For Coughs, Colds and Croup.

TRUNKS!

What kind will you have—Metal, Canvas or Leather? We have all styles and all sizes. All of the new improvements in locks and trimmings. Most any price from

\$1.25 to \$16.00

A BAG!

Splendid assortment—Most any size. Canvas or Leather. Several shapes; some moderate in price and some elegant affairs. All prices

40c to \$7.50

SUIT CASES

In all styles and grades. Telescopes from the cheapest to the best. A full line of trunk and bag straps. So you did not know that we had the finest stock of trunks and bags in town? Well, we have and the very best makes too. Come in and we will show you

Thomas Clothing Co.

ARE YOU SORE? USE

Paracamp

Relieves Instantly or Money Refunded.

Itching, Bleeding Piles,


Stops the Itching. Stops the Bleeding. Allays all Inflammation. It Cools. It Soothes. It Cures.

Sold only in 25c., 50c. & \$1.00 Bottles. At all good Druggists.

FOR SALE BY COX'S PHARMACY.

Mayo's Medical & Surgical Institute

603 N. Delaware St., Indianapolis, Ind.



W.R. MAYO, M.D.
Secretary of American Association of Medical and Surgical Specialists.
The Able Specialist of the Country, will be at
HOTEL JONAS Seymour, THURSDAY, FEB. 11.
At the Falk & Phifer House, Browns town, Wednesday, Feb. 10.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS EXPERIENCE

Dr. Mayo has a sure cure for Epilepsy
A Strong Statement.

Dr. Mayo has deposited ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS in the bank as orflet that he has treated more cases of Chronic Diseases and performed more marvelous cures than any three specialists in the state of Indiana. New methods of treatment and new remedies used. All chronic diseases and deformities related to the system, such as diseases of the Brain, Heart, Lungs, Ear and Eye, Stomach, Liver, Kidney, (Bright's) Disease, Bladder, Rectum, Female Diseases, Impotency, Gleet, Seminal Emissions, Nervous diseases, Catarrh, Rupture, Piles, Stricture, Diabetes, etc., etc.

Consumption and Catarrh Can Be Cured.

Cancer and tumors cured without pain or use of knife.

As God has prepared an antidote for the sin sick soul, so He has prepared antidotes for a diseased sick body. These can be found at the

Mayo's Medical and Medical Institute

After an examination we will tell you just what we can do for you, if we cannot benefit or cure you, we will frankly tell you so. Patients can be treated successfully at a distance. Write for examination and question blanks. Street cars and carriages direct to Institute. Call on or address,
DR. W. R. MAYO, 603 N. Delaware St., Indianapolis, Ind

Famous Trains of America

Among the leaders are The Overland Limited, Chicago to San Francisco, and The Pioneer Limited, Chicago to St. Paul. Both trains run via the

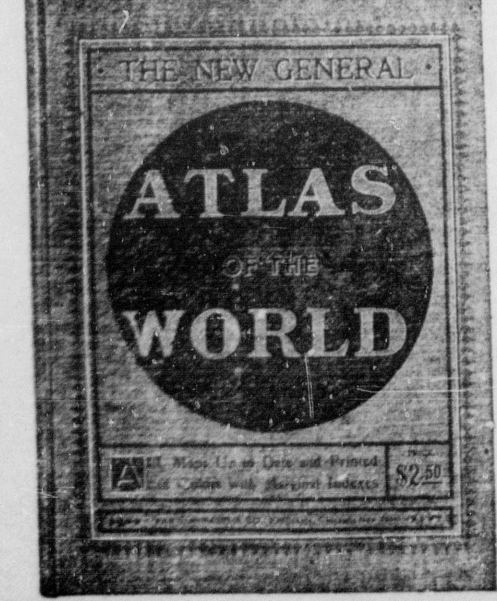
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway

If you are contemplating a western trip you should see that one, or both, of these famous trains is included in your itinerary. Rates and descriptive booklet on request

C. C. MORDOUGH, 12 CAREW BUILDING, Traveling Passenger Agent, Cincinnati.

New Atlas of the World

A Mine of Valuable Information at Special Prices for Our Readers.



THE NEW GENERAL ATLAS OF THE WORLD

Regular Price of Atlas \$2.50
Weekly Republican one year \$1.00
Both for \$2.50

Regular Price of Atlas \$2.50
Daily Republican three months \$1.25
Both for \$2.75

MURDER SUSPECT

James McDonald Charged With Killing Sarah Schafer.

ARRESTED AT BEDFORD

Detectives Claim to Have Evidence Implicating Teamster With Foul Murder.

The Suspect Was at Once Removed to Jeffersonville for Safe Keeping.

Bedford, Ind., Feb. 10.—Detectives Reed and Smith last night arrested James McDonald, a teamster, at his home in this city, charging him with the murder of Miss Sarah Schafer, whose mutilated body was found in a carriage shed here three weeks ago. McDonald was at once removed to the state reformatory at Jeffersonville and will later be taken to the Michigan City penitentiary for safe keeping, pending his hearing. The detectives claim to have evidence directly implicating McDonald with the crime. It is stated that the officers believe the motive for the deed was criminal assault and that the arrest was based on the statements made by McDonald before the board of inquiry as to his whereabouts on the night of the murder. McDonald bears a very unsavory reputation in Bedford. He has served a term in prison, it is stated, for having shot a negro some years ago. He is a man thirty-seven years of age.

PRESIDENT KIDNAPPED

Wabash Freshmen Score One on the Sophomores.

Crawfordsville, Ind., Feb. 10.—The sophomores of Wabash college have been vainly seeking clues of their president, Zimmerman, who was kidnapped by the freshmen last Sunday night. A band of freshmen went to the house where he roomed, called Zimmerman to the door and, after throwing a sack over his head, carried him off. The family in the house did not know he had been kidnapped. It is supposed that the freshmen have him under guard in the country. As the freshmen are all in attendance upon college it is evident that the majority of them know nothing about the matter, it having been delegated to a committee. It is rumored, however, that Zimmerman is held at some unknown point a short distance from Crawfordsville by a farmer, hired for the occasion. The freshmen announce that he will not be released until after Feb. 22.

Clarksville Is Broke.

Clarksville, Ind., Feb. 10.—The town council of this place is facing a financial proposition of some embarrassment. In the treasury there is a balance of forty cents with which to meet public expenditures until July. The town treasurer receives the town's share of taxes semi-annually, and the January apportionment has not proved sufficient to meet demands.

Police Are Apathetic.

Linton, Ind., Feb. 10.—No clue has been found to the man who shot Chas. Swaggerty, the young miner in a Gilmore saloon Saturday. The police do not seem to be taking any active interest in the case. Their inactivity is the subject of much unfavorable comment among the people near Linton. Swaggerty is still alive but he will probably die.

Taxpayers Are Organizing.

North Vernon, Ind., Feb. 10.—A taxpayers' league has been organized in this county with a vice-president in each township, the league being non-partisan in character, and proposes to protect taxpayers in various ways. It will oppose increases of salaries of county officers under a law which permits the officers to claim full amounts.

The Deadly Flobert.

Brazil, Ind., Feb. 10.—Mrs. Harrison Massey, forty-five years old, who was shot by her five-year-old son at her home south of Asherville, this county, is dead of her injuries. The child was playing with a flobert rifle and pointed it at his mother when the weapon was accidentally discharged. The bullet entered her right side.

Driven to the Hills.

Nashville, Ind., Feb. 10.—High waters in the hills of Brown county have caused Salt creek to leave its banks and flood homes along the way. Families have been forced to move their furniture to the second story, the water being up to the stoves. The people of Belmont have been chief sufferers from the flood.

Mine Filled With Water.

Petersburg, Ind., Feb. 10.—Little's mines, the largest in this section of the state, caved in. The late heavy rain was responsible for the accident. Over 200 men are out of employment. The mines are filled with water and it will be some time before they can be pumped dry.

Sent to Grand Jury.

Bloomington, Ind., Feb. 10.—Judge Wilson has entered a ruling in the Shively whitecase cases, sending all of the defendants to the grand jury for investigation.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Good Spirits.

Good spirits don't all come from Kentucky. Their main source is the ver-and all the fine spirits ever made in the Blue Grass State could not remedy a bad liver or the hundred-and-one ill effects it produces. You can't have good spirits and a bad liver at the same time. Your liver must be in fine condition if you would feel buoyant, happy and hopeful, bright of eye, light of step, vigorous and successful in your pursuits. You can put your liver in fine condition by using Green's August Flower—the greatest of all medicines for the liver and stomach and a certain cure for dyspepsia or indigestion. It has been a favorite household remedy for over thirty-five years. August Flower will make your liver healthy and active and thus insure you a liberal supply of "good spirits." Trial size, 25c; regular bottles, 75c. W. F. Peter Drug Co.

ROCKFORD

Rev. Sargent of Seymour, preached to a large audience here Sunday.

Wm. H. Shields made a business trip to Columbus Saturday.

A series of meetings is in progress here. Let everyone come out to help in the good work.

Attendance at Sunday school 90, collection \$1.20.

Mrs. F. A. Bobbink, of Kansas City, returned home after a visit with her sister, Mr. Wm. Siefker here.

Mrs. Nancy Steward went to Jonesville Wednesday to visit friends.

Mrs. Ellsworth Hashman of Seymour, was the guest of Mrs. Chas. Combs Monday.

We can already see the progress of the leap year girl in our vicinity.

Mrs. Mary Persinger of Seymour, spent Sunday in the family of A. A. Conner.

Mr. Height, of Indianapolis, is visiting John Emly this week.

Wess Hemes and family visited friends and relatives in Jennings county Sunday.

Miss Bertha Foster went to Jennings county Friday to visit her parents.

The second quarterly conference was held at the M. E. church here Monday.

Some of the farmers had to walk to town last week owing to the high water.

Mrs. John Franklin spent a few days of last week with Miss Mary Smith, of Seymour.

The Death Penalty.

A little thing sometimes results in death. Thus a mere scratch, insignificant cuts or punny boils have paid the death penalty. It is wise to have Buckle's Arnica Salve ever handy. It's the best salve on earth and will prevent fatality, when burns, sores, ulcers and piles threaten. Only 25c, at W. F. Peter Drug Co.

CROTHERSVILLE.

Miss Gladys Nelson is here from Galesburg, Ill., visiting relatives.

James Priddy and wife, of Hart county, Ky., visited his brother here last week.

Rev. Bolton is conducting a protracted meeting at the M. E. church.

Candidates before the democratic primary are, for trustee, Sherman Hall; assessor, Frank Daily and Eph Barringer.

Mrs. Maggie Barnes is home from a protracted meeting in Illinois.

Ed Lester made a business trip to Knox county last week.

George Moon has moved back from Anderson and occupies a house on Siegel Elliott's farm.

John McKnight is home from Hamilton county.

Dr. L. R. McCormick and wife left Monday morning for a protracted visit in Coles county, Ill.

G. A. Robertson and John W. Homes, of Seymour, were here Monday in the interest of organizing a Grange.

John Briner, of Reddington, was a business visitor here last Friday.

Mrs. Frank Cook of Columbus, was visiting friends here last week.

Henry Muchmore, of Clark county, Iowa, came here last week and went to Scott county to visit relatives after an absence of 35 years.

Wm. Fultz and D. G. Stanton left last Tuesday morning for Columbus Ohio, to attend the National Cannery Association meeting.

Suicide Prevented.

The startling announcement that a preventative of suicide had been discovered will interest many. A run down system, or despondency in a valuable precede suicide and something has been found that will prevent that condition which makes suicide likely. At the first thought of self destruction take Electric Bitters. It being a great tonic and nerve will strengthen the nerves and build up the system. It's also a great stomach, liver and kidney regulator. Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by W. F. Peter Drug Co.

All who use Atomizers in treating nasal catarrh will get the best result from Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including spraying tube, 75 cts. Sold by druggists or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren St., N. Y.

New Orleans, Sept. 1, 1900.

MESSRS. ELY BROS.:—I sold two bottles of your Liquid Cream Balm to a customer, Wm. Lambertou, 1415 Delachaise St., New Orleans; he has used the two bottles, giving him wonderful and most satisfactory results.

GEO. W. McDUFF, Pharmacist.

At Cincinnati.

Wheat—Firm; No. 2 red, 90c.
Corn—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 45c.
Oats—Quiet; No. 2 mixed, 40c.
Cattle—Dull at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Dull at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Dull at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At New York.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Buffalo Livestock.

Cattle—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Chicago.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At St. Louis.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Kansas City.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Omaha.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Des Moines.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Minneapolis.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At St. Paul.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Portland.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Seattle.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Tacoma.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Vancouver.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

FISHING IN FORMOSA.

Their Heads Superb, but Their Hooks Are Without Harbs.

Three of us, two Americans and one Japanese, started out in jinkishas from Taipei, the modern capital of Formosa, or Taiwan, to go to the house of a wealthy gentleman about eight miles up the river which runs through the valley of Taipei. The way led through a beautiful and fertile country, the valley covered with the second crop of rice and the hills with the famous Formosa tea shrub. After luncheon and after photographing some head hunting savages we found there we proposed to fish for salmon trout at an altitude less than 250 feet above sea level and in latitude about 24 degrees 40 minutes north, practically in the tropics. The temperature of the stream was about 70 degrees or higher, and the water was well aerated. This stream, from 60 to 100 yards wide, is clear and full of rapids and riffles.

We used Japanese tackle—horsehair line and horsehair leader, the latter consisting of one strand only; a bamboo rod and a most delicate palmer tied on a small barbed hook. The rod is decidedly good and, weight for weight, is stronger and a better caster than our jointed rod. It rarely weighs over four ounces (mine weighed about two), but the line is practically worthless for casting as we understand the term. The fly is perfect, but the hook lacks strength, and the fish when hooked may easily detach himself in a current or an eddy or by fouling the line. We all know how it is done from our experience with pin hook and thread in the brooks at home.

The Japanese, however, have another method of fishing which may be as new to some of our readers as it was to me. It is quite successful. They catch one fish in any way they can and then fasten the line securely through its upper jaw, passing it through the roof of the mouth and out at the top of the upper jaw well in front of the eyes and then attach through the body of the fish not far in front of the tail a horsehair to which is tied a three pronged barbed hook, which trails in line with the fish and a few inches behind, while it is slowly worked up the stream by the fisherman. The theory is that other fishes, seeing the captive moving along as though feeding or perhaps spawning, will pursue it and become impaled on the hooks. In point of fact that does happen, as I saw a Chinaman take two fine trout in this manner.

Our success with the flies was poor. We got thirteen or fourteen fingerlings, but we saw the fish we wished to identify caught in fairly good numbers by the Chinese fishing with decoys.—Forest and Stream.

Legal Courtesy.

An instance of legal courtesy occurred in a courtroom not very long ago. A lawyer with Mac prefaced to his name and a brother lawyer engaged in a heated discussion. The latter maintained his position, claiming he could find his authority and turning over to the pages of the statute book, when, quick as a flash, Mac said, "You will find what you want on page —, section —."

Mac's opponent looked up the reference and found the law governing assaues. A ripple of laughter spread over the court.

Going After Alleged Offenders.

St. Louis, Feb. 10.—Indictments have been returned by the federal grand jury charging former Police Captain Samuel J. Boyd, Nathan Levin, Adolph Fein and Jacob Kahlan with conspiracy to defraud the naturalization laws.

MARKET REPORT

Prevailing Prices for Grain, Provisions and Livestock on Feb. 9.

Indianapolis Grain and Livestock.

Wheat—Wagon, 97c; No. 2 red, strong, 97c.
Corn—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 44c.
Oats—Strong; No. 2 mixed, 41c.
Hay—Clover, \$7.50-\$8.00; timothy, \$10.00-\$10.50.
Cattle—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

Grain and Provisions at Chicago.

Wheat—No. 2 red, 94c; 95c.
July—94c; 95c.
Sept—94c; 95c.
Corn—No. 2 mixed, 44c.
May—44c; 45c.
July—44c; 45c.
Sept—44c; 45c.
Oats—No. 2 mixed, 40c.
May—40c; 41c.
July—40c; 41c.
Sept—40c; 41c.
Hay—Clover, \$7.50-\$8.00; timothy, \$10.00-\$10.50.
Cattle—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Cincinnati.

Wheat—Firm; No. 2 red, 90c.
Corn—Steady; No. 2 mixed, 45c.
Oats—Quiet; No. 2 mixed, 40c.
Cattle—Dull at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Dull at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Dull at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At New York.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Buffalo Livestock.

Cattle—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Chicago.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At St. Louis.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Kansas City.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Omaha.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Minneapolis.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At St. Paul.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Portland.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Seattle.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

At Tacoma.

Cattle—Firm at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Hogs—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Sheep—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.
Lamb—Steady at \$1.50-\$1.55.

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhoea and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS!

Bears the Signature of

Chas. H. Fletcher

The Kind You Have Always Bought

In Use For Over 30 Years.

THE CASTORIA COMPANY, 77 MURRAY STREET, NEW YORK CITY.

MARDI GRAS CARNIVAL

New Orleans

VERY LOW RATES

VIA

B. & O. S-W.

Tickets on sale February 9th to 15th. Final return limit March 5th, 1904. For detailed information, sleeping car space, etc., apply to ticket agents C. P. McCarty, Gen'l Pass. Agent, Cincinnati, Ohio.

ARRIVE. DEPART.

No. 12 4:40 a. m. daily.....4:43 a. m.

No. 4 9:10 a. m. ".....9:14 a. m.

No. 2 3:46 p. m. ".....3:49 p. m.

No. 8 4:50 p. m. dly ex Sun 4:55 p. m.

ARRIVE. DEPART.

No. 5 6:24 a. m. dly ex Sun 5:27 a. m.

No. 9 5:24 a. m. Sunday only 5:27 a. m.

No. 7 10:21 a. m. dly ex Sun 10:24 a. m.

No. 1 11:20 a. m. daily.....11:23 a. m.

No. 3 11:55 p. m. ".....11:58 p. m.

C. C. FREY, Agent.

C. H. MONTGOMERY

ATTORNEY.

Will practice in all the courts of the State. Careful attention given to collections and to probate matters. Office over C. First National Bank, Seymour, Ind.

LEWIS & LEWIS

ATTORNEYS

Will practice in all the courts. Collections a specialty. Legal business solicited.

Office 514 North Chestnut street.

Low Fares to Indianapolis via Pennsylvania Lines.

February 10th and 11th, excursion tickets to Indianapolis, account Indiana Pythian Jubilee, Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines. Ticket agents of Pennsylvania Lines will give full particulars.

Low Fares to Georgia via Pennsylvania Lines.

Excursion tickets to Atlanta, Ga., will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines February 20th and 21st, account Department of Superintendence National Educational Association. For fares, time of trains, etc., apply to Ticket Agents of the Pennsylvania Lines.

EXCURSIONS TO NEWYORK

Via Pennsylvania Lines in February and March.

Excursion rates to New York, account spring meetings of Merchants' Association will be in effect via Pennsylvania Lines February 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th; also on February 27th, 28th, and 29th; and March 1st, 1904. The sale of tickets will be governed by the certificate plan, which will be fully explained by ticket agents of the Pennsylvania Lines. Apply to J. W. Wray, ticket agent for particulars.

Choice of Routes to Florida and the South.

Passengers for Florida and the South via Pennsylvania Short Lines from Seymour may select any route from Louisville in purchasing tourist tickets. Pennsylvania Short Lines trains from Seymour connect at that gateway with through trains at Jacksonville, St. Augustine, New Orleans and other southern points. For particulars consult ticket agent of Pennsylvania Lines.

New Train Service from Chicago via Southern Indiana Ry.

Leave Chicago 1:00 p. m. via C. & E. I. R.

Arrive Terre Haute 5:30 p. m. Leave Terre Haute 5:35 p. m.

Arrive Seymour 9:30 p. m.

Passengers will take C. & E. I. Ry from Dearborn Station.

CONNECTIONS AT JUNCTION POINTS.

TERRE HAUTE—Union Station; with Chicago & Eastern Illinois, to and from Chicago and intermediate points with Vanderbilt and from St. Louis Indianapolis and intermediate points.

ELMORA—Southern Indiana Station; with Evansville & Indianapolis, to and from Evansville and intermediate points.

EDFORD—With Monon, to and from Ellettsville and Bloomington.

SEYMOUR JUNCTION—Southern Indiana Station; with Pennsylvania, to and from Indianapolis, Louisville and intermediate points.

SEYMOUR—With Pennsylvania, to and from Indianapolis, Louisville and intermediate points; with B. & O. S-W., to and from Cincinnati and intermediate points.

On Sunday local tickets will be sold at one fare for the round trip. Central Passenger Association tickets will be honored by this company for time tables and further information apply to agents of this company, or to H. H. ROSEMAN, G. P. & T. A., Terre Haute, Ind.